

May 5, 1939.

Mr. Rufus Jackson  
and  
Mr. Cum Posey,  
508 Dixon St.,  
Homestead, Pa.

Dear Sirs:

I have before me a letter from one of your important men, Raymond Brown, applying for a position on my Ball Club. I think in this case Gentlemen it is ridiculous to refer him to some other Club, as we are all in one Organization, and should try to strengthen the Organization. In the case of the man in question, you are as much able to meet his demands as I am, or any other Club. You should offer him what you think you can afford to pay and leave him to accept it, or else stay out of baseball so far as organized Negro Baseball is concerned. I think that this will be the only way of dealing with the ball players, if we expect to have any Organization.

Yours very truly,

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